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Dr. Ramus reports in regard to plague-prevention work, March 27:

HONOLULU.

Week ended Mar. 25, 1911.

| | |
|--|-------|
| Total rats and mongoose taken..... | 865 |
| Rats trapped..... | 849 |
| Mongoose trapped..... | 16 |
| Examined bacteriologically..... | 774 |
| Classification of rats trapped: | 4 |
| <i>Mus alexandrinus</i> | 80 |
| <i>Mus musculus</i> | 254 |
| <i>Mus norvegicus</i> | 73 |
| <i>Mus rattus</i> | 442 |
| Average number of traps set daily..... | 1,720 |

Measles and Scarlet Fever on Steamship.

Dr. Ramus reported April 14 the arrival at Honolulu of the steamship *Oteric* with a history of 57 deaths at sea caused by measles and scarlet fever. The vessel carried 1,490 Spanish and Portuguese emigrants.

INDIA.

Calcutta—Cholera and Plague.

Acting Asst. Surg. Allan reports March 16:

During the week ended February 25 there were reported at Calcutta 35 deaths from cholera and 14 from plague; in all Bengal, 3,882 cases of plague with 2,774 deaths; in all India, 27,716 cases of plague with 22,138 deaths.

ITALY.

Naples—Examination of Emigrants—Smallpox.

Surg. Geddings reports March 28:

Vessels inspected at Naples and Palermo week ended Mar. 25.

NAPLES.

| Date. | Name of ship. | Destination. | Steerage passengers inspected and passed. | Pieces of baggage inspected and passed. | Pieces of baggage disinfected. |
|---------|---------------------------|---------------|---|---|--------------------------------|
| Mar. 20 | Principe di Piemonte..... | New York..... | 1,245 | 95 | 1,650 |
| 20 | America..... | do..... | 1,733 | 160 | 2,100 |
| 22 | Canopic..... | Boston..... | 958 | 130 | 1,420 |
| 22 | San Giovanni..... | New York..... | | | |
| 23 | Perugia..... | do..... | 316 | 50 | 620 |
| 23 | Pannonia..... | do..... | | | |
| 24 | Lombardia..... | do..... | 661 | 75 | 720 |
| 24 | Prinzess Irene..... | do..... | 1,361 | 140 | 1,680 |
| 25 | San Giovanni..... | do..... | 1,167 | 40 | 930 |
| | Total..... | | 7,441 | 690 | 9,120 |

PALERMO.

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|---------|--------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Mar. 23 | Canopic..... | Boston..... | 104 | 150 | 100 |
|---------|--------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|

Rejections recommended.

NAPLES.

| Date. | Name of ship. | Trachoma. | Favus. | Suspected trachoma. | Other causes. | Total. |
|---------|---------------------------|-----------|--------|---------------------|---------------|--------|
| Mar. 20 | Principe di Piemonte..... | 29 | ..... | 15 | 4 | 48 |
| 20 | America..... | 49 | 4 | 27 | 10 | 90 |
| 22 | Canopic..... | 8 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 23 |
| 22 | San Giovanni..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 23 | Perugia..... | 4 | ..... | 1 | 4 | 9 |
| 23 | Pannonia..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 24 | Lombardia..... | 47 | ..... | 25 | 3 | 75 |
| 24 | Prinzess Irene..... | 27 | 3 | 17 | 7 | 54 |
| 25 | San Giovanni..... | 14 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 26 |
| | Total..... | 178 | 10 | 94 | 43 | 325 |

PALERMO.

| | | | | | | |
|---------|--------------|---|-------|---|---|----|
| Mar. 23 | Canopic..... | 3 | | 5 | 2 | 10 |
|---------|--------------|---|-------|---|---|----|

Smallpox in Naples.—During the week ended March 25 there were reported at the health office of the city of Naples 28 cases of smallpox, with 10 deaths.

CHOLERA, YELLOW FEVER, PLAGUE, AND SMALLPOX.

Reports Received During Week Ended Apr. 21, 1911.

[These tables include cases and deaths recorded in reports received by the Surgeon General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, from American consuls, through the Department of State, and from other sources.]

CHOLERA.

| Places. | Date. | Cases. | Deaths. | Remarks. |
|-----------------|----------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| Hawaii: | | | | |
| Honolulu..... | Apr. 13-16..... | 3 | 4 | |
| India: | | | | |
| Bombay..... | Mar. 5-11..... | 2 | 2 | |
| Calcutta..... | Feb. 5-11..... | ..... | 46 | |
| | Feb. 19-25..... | ..... | 35 | |
| Madras..... | Feb. 19-Mar. 11..... | 2 | 1 | |
| Moulmine..... | Feb. 19-25..... | 1 | 1 | |
| Rangoon..... | Feb. 26-Mar. 4..... | 3 | 3 | |
| Indo-China: | | | | |
| Saigon..... | Feb. 13-19..... | 2 | 2 | |
| Persia: | | | | |
| Chalfaroud..... | Jan. 3..... | 5 | ..... |  |
| Turkey in Asia: | | | | |
| Jiddah..... | Mar. 23..... | ..... | ..... | Present. |

YELLOW FEVER.

| | | | | |
|-----------|-----------------|---|---|--|
| Brazil: | | | | |
| Para..... | Mar. 19-25..... | 2 | 2 | Mar. 12, 1 case from British steamship Cearense. |

PLAGUE.

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|---|
| China: | | | | |
| Amoy..... | Mar. 1-14..... | 8 | 8 | |
| Chefoo..... | Mar. 12-17..... | 57 | 57 | |
| Tientsin..... | Mar. 12-18..... | 2 | 2 | |
| Manchuria: ¹ | | | | |
| East Manchurian Ry.. | To Mar. 7..... | ..... | ..... | 1,145 cases among Chinese and 51 among Europeans. |
| South Manchurian Ry.. | To Feb. 25..... | 238 | ..... |  |

¹ From the Veröffentlichungen des Kaiserlichen Gesundheitsamtes, Mar. 20, 1911.